GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
CIVIL AVIATION
LOK SABHA

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POLICY ON HANGER
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Will the Minister of CIVIL AVIATION be pleased to state:

(a) whether there is any policy of the Union Government to give assets of the National Airport Authority such as hanger land to the State Government for Government purposes;

(b) if so, the details thereof;

(c) the details of the policy of fixation of rent of these assets;

(d) whether the Government proposes to allow free utilisation of these assets for non-business pruposes;

(e) if so, whether any proposal waiving off the rent of such assets which are not in good condition has been received from the Government of Madhya Pradesh; and

(f) if so, the details alongwith the action taken by the Union Government thereon?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE (INDEPENDENT CHARGE) OF THE MINISTRY OF CIVIL AVIATION (SHRI PRAFUL PATEL)

(a) & (b): Yes, Sir. As a policy of Airports Authority of India (AAI), hangars at the airports are licensed to State Government for parking of their aircraft subject to availability of space. In case of construction of hangar by State Government for its use, AAI allots land on nominal licence fee of Rs.1/- per sqm. p.a. to State Governments for this purpose generally where State Government is transferring / giving land at airports on free of cost basis to AAI for expansion / development purposes.

(c): The licence fee for hangar space at airports is fixed and revised by AAI from time to time keeping in view reasonable return on the cost of land, construction of building and other conservancy charges.

(d): No, Sir.

(e) & (f): A proposal was received from Madhya Pradesh Government for allotment of land and waiver of charges towards hangar / barracks / land occupied by the Madhya Pradesh Flying School at Bhopal. Waiver of arrear charges amounting to Rs.2 crores and allotment of 5.87 acres of land on payment of Re.1/- per sqm. p.a. has been sanctioned subject to certain conditions including that of signing of MOU with AAI regarding land to be provided by State Government on free of cost basis at various airports in Madhya Pradesh for expansion / development purposes.